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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)**

Docket No.
110430-031

In Re Application Of: **Franks-Farah et al.**

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Application No. 10/661,989	Filing Date Sept. 11, 2004	Customer No. 24573	Group Art Unit 3728	Confirmation No. 9330
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Invention: **MALE CLEAN INTERMITTENT CATHETER SYSTEM**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of April 14, 2004 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: July 14, 2004 *Date* until: September 14, 2004 *Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

is enclosed.
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	13 -	20 =	0	x \$9.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	6 -	4 =	2	x \$43.00	\$86.00
09/10/2004 LWONDIM1 00000021 10661989			FEE FOR AMENDMENT		\$86.00
01 FC 2201 86.00 0P			FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME		\$210.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$296.00

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of \$296.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-1818

Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-1818

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Dated: September 7, 2004

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on Sept. 7, 2004 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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